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SUBJECT: AMBASSADOR MILLIARD'S CALL ON FONMIN PERDOMO

1. AMBASSADOR MILLIARD CALLED ON FONMIN PERDOMO JANUARY 21 TO PRESENT THE U.S. VIEW ON OAS CHARTER REFORM. AFTER NORMAL COURTESIES, PERDOMO STATED THAT AMBASSADOR MILLIARD'S VISIT EMPHASIZED THE IMPORTANCE THE U.S. PLACES ON OAS DEVELOPMENTS. HE SAID THAT HE AGREED WITH THE GENERAL U.S. VIEWPOINT IN REGARD TO REFORMING THE OAS CHARTER. PERDOMO COMMENTED THAT THERE IS A NEED FOR HIGH LEVEL CONSIDERATION AND TREATMENT OF THE ISSUES INVOLVED IN CHARTER REFORM. IN THAT REGARD, HE SAID HE WOULD TALK TO OTHER CENTRAL AMERICAN FONMINS ABOUT PAYING MORE ATTENTION TO THE PROBLEM. HE REMARKED THAT THE OAS IS "WHAT ITS MEMBER COUNTRIES WANT IT TO BE," AND AGREED ALL MEMBERS MUST FIND THE FINAL RESULT ACCEPTABLE IF IT WERE TO BE AN EFFECTIVE ORGANIZATION, EVEN THOUGH THAT DID NOT MEAN EVERY COUNTRY WOULD GET EVERYTHING IT WANTED.

2. PERDOMO STATED THAT HE WOULD LIKE TO SEE THE COMMITTEE OF SEVEN REMAIN IN BEING, AT LEAST UNTIL THE CONCLUSION OF THE PRESENT NEGOTIATIONS BETWEEN HONDURAS AND EL
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SALVADOR. IN RESPONSE TO AMBASSADOR MILLIARD'S PRESEN-

TATION, HE AGREED THAT THE QUESTION OF ADMITTANCE OF MINI-
STATES TO THE OAS SHOULD BE MORE FULLY DISCUSSED.
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